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Title: RECONFIGURING A
SYSTEM IN A
DISTRIBUTED
ENVIRONMENT

Examiner: Komol, Vajirachai
Group/Art Unit: 2115
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
MARCH 25, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of March 25, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.